

The Thousandth Woman

What the One Woman Will Do

The Thousandth Woman, by Ernest W. Hornung, has been selected as our new serial story.

The Opening Chapters will appear in an early issue. Mr. Hornung is the author of "Raffles," "The Amateur Crackman," etc.

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TEMPERANCE NOTES

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

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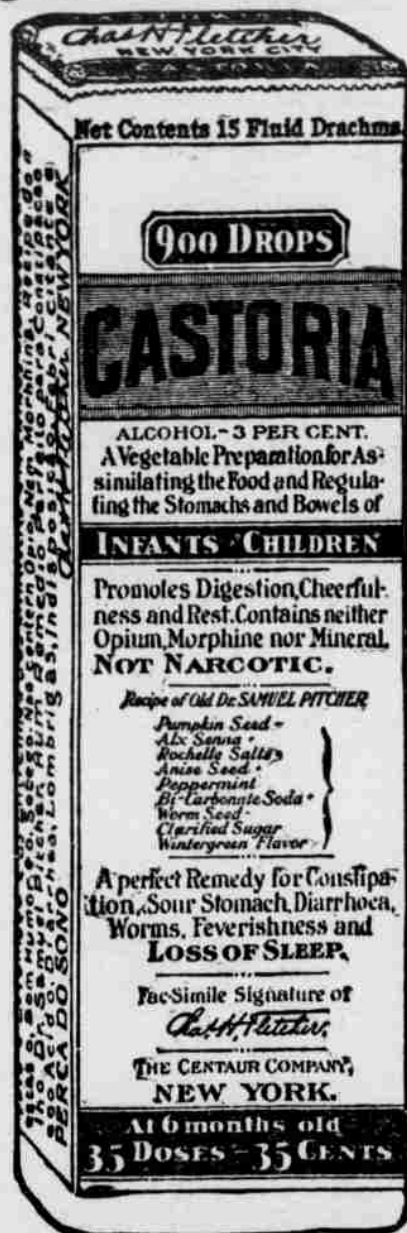
(Excerpts from the address of Miss Anna A. Gordon, president National Woman's Christian Temperance union, before the forty-second annual convention of that organization, held in Seattle, Wash., October 9-14, 1915.)

Looking backward over the past twenty months and forward to the year 1916 one might epitomize the temperance movement in retrospect as "a movement of victorious yesterdays and confident tomorrows." These months chronicle an unprecedented number of prohibition victories. The temperance transformation of Russia; the anti-liquor measures in effect in German, French and English military circles; the complete abolition of alcohol in the United States navy and in the Panama Canal zone; the outlawing of the liquor traffic in Virginia, Colorado, Oregon, Washington, Arizona, Arkansas, Idaho, Iowa, Alabama and South Carolina; the majority vote for state-wide prohibition in both branches of Utah's legislature; the triumph of the enemies of the saloon in a large number of counties and cities; the upholding by the United States Supreme court of the constitutionality of the prohibition provision of the Indian treaties—making one-fifth of Minnesota dry; the victorious prohibition elections in forty-five of Minnesota's counties; the battle royal for prohibition in the District of Columbia; the total abstinence rules enforced by many industrial and railroad corporations; the decrease at the rate of \$1,250,000 a month of the internal revenue collections on distilled spirits despite the fact that wines are paying a high tax as a result of the emergency war tax enacted by the last congress; the enactment in prohibition states of stricter enforcement laws; the discussion of total abstinence and prohibition by press and popular magazines, and the marked decrease of their liquor advertising; the growth of antialcohol sentiment in the medical world—these, with the indorsement of national constitutional prohibition by hundreds of influential organizations and the outspoken declarations of men prominent in the official and political life of the United States and other nations in favor of prohibition and total abstinence, have given a marvelous impetus to the movement for the banishment of John Barleycorn from the business, the social, and the political life of the civilized world. The majority vote on the Sheppard-Hobson bill in the United States house of representatives on December 22, 1914, even though it fell short of a decisive victory, was a triumph for nation-wide prohibition.

Because the alcohol disease is the deepest-seated, most chronic organic disease known to the body politic and body social, the permanent cure must be not only organic state legislation, but organic national legislation. The object of a national prohibition amendment is to destroy the agency that debauches the youth of the land. The W. C. T. U. agrees with Congressman Richmond Pearson Hobson when he asserts: "The liquor trust is wise enough to know that it cannot perpetuate its sway by depending on debauching grown people, so it uses an organic method of teaching the young to drink. We apply exactly the same method to destroy the traffic. We do not try to make old drinkers stop drinking, but we do aim to put a stop to the systematic, organized debauching of our youth through thousands and tens of thousands of agencies throughout the land."

It is not difficult for the student of temperance history to account for the deep conviction and the earnest work of many men and women who today are foremost in the great struggles against the drink monopoly. The boy who two score years ago was taught by a W. C. T. U. mother at the twilight hours to offer his childlike prayer for the temperance cause, as her hand rested tenderly upon his little head, is today a temperance warrior battling against home's most relentless foe. Boys and girls who twenty-five and thirty years ago were taught by white-ribboners to shout, "Tremble, King Alcohol, we shall grow up!" and whose heads, hearts, hands and feet received temperance training in public school, Sunday school, and Loyal Temperance Legion, are grown up, and are rapidly dethroning King Alcohol.

The history of our reform proves that it is well-nigh impossible to take prohibition from a state constitution when once placed there by the voters of a commonwealth. Constitutional prohibition is not dependent upon party politics. Unlike a statutory law it is not at the mercy of each incoming legislature. The liquor traffic constantly defies the laws.



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